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Sore pierc'd by wintry wind,
How many shrink into the fordid bed
Of cheerless poverty. *Thomson.*
HUTCH. *n. f.* [*hyæcca*, Saxon; *huche*, French.] A corn chest.
The best way to keep them, after they are threshed, is to
dry them well, and keep them in *hutches*, or close casks. *Mort.*
TO HUZZA. *v. n.* [from the found.] To buzz; to murmur.
HUZZA. *interj.* A shout; a cry of acclamation.
The buzzes of the rabble are the fame to a bear that they
are to a prince. *L'Estrange.*
It was an unfair thing in you to keep a parcel of roar-
ing bullies about me day and night, with buzzes and hunting
horns never let me cool. *Arbutnot on Dist.*
All fame is foreign, but of true desert;
Plays round the head, but comes not to the heart:
One self-approving hour whole years outweighs
Of stupid flatters and of loud buzzes. *Pope's Essay on Man.*
TO HUZZA. *v. n.* [from the interjection.] To utter acclama-
tion.

A caldron of fat beef, and floop of ale,
On the buzzsing mob shall fill prevail. *King's Cookery.*
TO HUZZA. *v. a.* To receive with acclamation.
He was buzzed into the court by several thousands of
weavers and clothiers. *Addison.*

HYACINTH. *n. f.* [*hyacinthos*, Gr.; *hyacinthe*, Fr. *hyacinthus*, Lat.]
1. A plant.

It hath a bulbous root: the leaves are long and narrow: the
stalk is upright and naked, the flowers growing on the upper
part in a spike: the flowers consist each of one leaf, are naked,
tubulose, and cut into six divisions at the brim, which are re-
flexed: the ovary becomes a roundish fruit with three angles,
which is divided into three cells, which are filled with roundish
seeds. *Miller.*

The filken fleece, unpurpl'd for the loom,
Rival'd the hyacinth in vernal bloom. *Pope's Odyssey.*

2. The *hyacinth* is the same with the *lapis hyacinthus* of the an-
cients. It is a less shewy gem than any of the other red ones,
but not without its beauty, though not gaudy. It is seldom
smaller than a seed of hemp, or larger than a nutmeg. It is
found of various degrees of deepness and paleness; but its
colour is always a decided red, with a considerable admixture
of yellow, which even sometimes seems predominant: but its
most usual is that mixed red and yellow, which we know by
the name of flame-colour. This gem is found in several parts
of Europe; but the finest sort comes from the East and West
Indies. *Hill on Jewels.*

HYACINTHINE. *adj.* [*hyacinthinus*, Gr.] Made of hyacinth.

HYADES. *n. f.* [*hyades*, Gr.] A watry constellation.

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Then sailors quarter'd heav'n, and found a name
For ev'ry fix'd and ev'ry wand'ring star;
The pleiads, hyads. *Dryden's Georgicks.*

HYALINE. *adj.* [*hyalinus*, Gr.] Glassy; crystalline; made glass;
resembling glass.

From heav'n-gate not far, founded in view
On the clear hyaline, the glassy sea. *Milton's Parad. Lost.*

HYBRIDOUS. *adj.* [*hybridus*, Latin.] Begotten between animals
of different species.

Why such different species should not only mingle together,
but also generate an animal, and yet that that *hybridous* pro-
duction should not again generate, is to me a mystery. *Ray.*

HYDRA. *n. f.* [*hydra*, Latin.] A monster with many heads
slain by Hercules: whence any multiplicity of evils is termed
a *hydra*.

New rebellions raise
Their *hydra* heads, and the false North displays
Her broken league to imp her serpent wings. *Milton.*

More formidable *hydra* stands within,
Whose jaws with iron-teeth severely grin. *Dryden's Æn.*

Subdue

The *hydra* of the many-headed hissing crew. *Dryden.*

HYDRAGOGUES. *n. f.* [*hydragogus*, Gr.] Such
medicines as occasion the discharge of watery humours, which
is generally the case of the stronger catharticks, because they
shake most forcibly by their vellations the bowels and their
appendages, so as to squeeze out water enough to make the
stools seem to be little else. *Quincy.*

HYDRAULICAL. *adj.* [from *hydraulick*.] Relating to the con-
struction of engines.

HYDRAULICK. *s.* veyance of water through pipes.

Among the engines in which the air is useful, pumps may
be accounted not contemptible ones, and divers other *hydrau-
lic* engines. *Derham's Physico-Theology.*

We have employed a virtuoso to make an *hydraulic* engine,
in which a chymical liquor, resembling blood, is driven
through elastic channels. *Arbutnot and Pope's Mart. Scriblerus.*

HYDRAULICKS. *n. f.* [*hydraulica*, Gr.] A pipe.

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The science of conveying water through pipes or conduits.
HYDROCELE. *n. f.* [*hydrocele*, Gr.] A watery rupture.
HYDROCEPHALUS. *n. f.* [*hydrocephalus*, Gr.] A drop in the
head.

A *hydrocephalus*, or drop in the head, is only incurable
when the serum is extravasated into the ventricles of the
brain. *Arbutnot on Dist.*

HYDROGRAPHER. *n. f.* [*hydrographus*, Gr.] One who draws maps of the sea.

It may be drawn from the writings of our *hydrogra-
pher*. *Boyle.*

HYDROGRAPHY. *n. f.* [*hydrographia*, Gr.] Description of the watery part of the terraqueous globe.

HYDROMANCY. *n. f.* [*hydromancy*, Gr.] Divination by water.

Divination was invented by the Persians: there are four
kinds of divination; *hydromancy*, *pyromancy*, *acromancy*, and
geomancy. *Asylus's Parergon.*

HYDROMEL. *n. f.* [*hydromel*, Gr.] Honey and water.

Hydromel is a drink prepared of honey, being one of the
most pleasant and universal drinks the northern part of Europe
knows, as well as one of the most ancient. *Montimer's Hush.*

In fevers the aliments prescribed by Hippocrates were
ptisans and cream of barley; *hydromel*, that is, honey and
water, when there was no tendency to a delirium. *Arbutnot.*

HYDROMETER. *n. f.* [*hydrometer*, Gr.] An instrument to
measure the extent of water.

HYDROMETRY. *n. f.* [*hydrometry*, Gr.] The art of mea-
suring the extent of water.

HYDROPHOBIA. *n. f.* [*hydrophobia*, Gr.] Dread of water.

Among those dismal symptoms that follow the bite of a mad
dog, the dread of water is the most remarkable. *Quincy.*

HYDROPHICAL. *adj.* [*hydrophicus*, Gr.] Dreadful; dreadful.

HYDROPHICK. *s.* drops; Latin.] Dropical; diseased with ex-
travasated water.

Cantharides heats the watery parts of the body; as urine,
and *hydrophical* water. *Bacon's Nat. Hist.*

The world's whole sap is sunk:
The general balm th' *hydrophical* earth hath drunk;
Whither, as to the bedfret, life is shrunk,
Dead and inter'd. *Donne.*

Some mens *hydrophical* infatigableness learned to thirst the
more, by how much more they drank. *King Charles.*

Hydrophical swellings, if they be pure, are pellucid. *Wifon.*

Every lust is a kind of *hydrophical* distemper, and the more
we drink the more we shall thirst. *Tillotson's Sermon.*

Hydrophical wretches by degrees decay,
Growing the more, the more they wait away;
By their own ruins they augmented lye,
With thirst and heat amidst a deluge fry. *Blackmore.*

One sort of remedy he uses in dropies, viz. the water of the
hydrophical, which is a remedy for the disease. *Arbutnot.*

HYDROSTATICAL. *adj.* [*hydrostaticus*, Gr.] Relating to
hydrostatics; taught by hydrostatics.

A human body forming in such a fluid, will never be recon-
cilable to this *hydrostatical* law: there will be always something
lighter beneath, and something heavier above; because bones,
the heaviest in species, will be ever in the midst. *Bentley.*

HYDROSTATICALLY. *adv.* [from *hydrostatical*.] According to
hydrostatics.

The weight of all bodies around the earth is ever propor-
tional to the quantity of their matter: for instance, a pound
weight, examined *hydrostatically*, doth always contain an equal
quantity of solid mass. *Bentley's Sermon.*

HYDROSTICKS. *n. f.* [*hydrosticks*, Gr.] *Hydrosticks*, Fr.]

The science of weighing fluids; weighing bodies in fluids.

HYDRO-TICK. *n. f.* [*hydrotick*, Gr.] Purger of water or phlegm.

He seems to have been the first who divided purges into
hydroticks and purgers of bile. *Arbutnot on Genu.*

HYEN. *n. f.* [*hyena*, French; *hyena*, Latin.] An animal like
hyena. *s.* a wolf, said fabulously to imitate human voices.

I will weep when you are disposed to be merry; I will
laugh like a *hyen*, when you are inclined to sleep. *Shakespeare.*

A wonder more amazing would we find;
The *hyena* flees it, of a double kind:
Varying the sexes in alternate years,
In one begets, and in another bears. *Dryden's Fables.*

The *hyena* was indeed well joined with the beaver, as having
also a bag in those parts, if thereby we understand the *hyena*
odorata, or civet cat. *Brown's Vulgar Errors.*

The keen *hyena*, fellest of the fell. *Thomson's Summer.*

HYGROMETER. *n. f.* [*hygrometer*, Gr.] An instrument to measure the degrees of moisture.

A sponge, perhaps, might be a better *hygrometer* than the
earth of the river. *Arbutnot on Air.*

HYGROSCOPE. *n. f.* [*hygroscope*, Gr.] An instrument to shew the moisture and dryness of the air, and
to measure and estimate the quantity of either extreme. *Quincy.*

Moisture in the air is discovered by *hygroscopes*. *Arbutnot.*

HYLA'RHICAL. *adj.* [*hylaricus*, Gr.] Presiding over matter.

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HYPERBO'ICAL. *adj.* [*hyperbolique*, French; from *hyper-*
hyperbo'lick.] *s.* *hyperbo'lick*.]

1. Belonging to the hyperbola; having the nature of an hy-
perbola.

Cancelled in the middle with squares, with triangles be-
fore, and behind with *hyperbo'lick* lines. *Grew's Museum.*

The horny or pellucid coat of the eye riseth up, as a hill-
lock, above the convexity of the white of the eye, and is of
an *hyperbo'lick* or parabolical figure. *Ray on the Creation.*

2. [From *hyperbole*.] Exaggerating or extenuating beyond fact.